## **REMARKS**

Claims 1-18 remain in the application. Claims 1, 8, 9, 15, 17, and 18 have been amended. Reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

Claims 1, 8, 9, 15, 17, and 18 have been amended to specify that the body part mentioned is a part of an arm of a human subject.

The DECISION ON APPEAL in the above-identified application refused to accept the Applicants' argument that the hand was distinguishable from parts of the hand, i.e., the fingers. See page 5 of the DECISION ON APPEAL. Accordingly, the recitations of "a body part" in the claims have been amended to specify that the body part referred to is part of an arm, as shown in FIG. 1 and discussed in the specification at page 29, lines 1-18. In view of the foregoing changes, it is submitted that claims 1-18 are in condition for allowance, and official Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

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